

Smithfield Process Verified Program

Smithfield Packing Company (South)/Gwaltney of Smithfield (North)

Customers may request a copy of the ARC Branch approval letter from the company

Process Verified Points:

1. Each hog harvested at the SPVP plant will be traceable back to the farm of origin
2. Hogs harvested at the SPVP plant will be raised on farms where management has been certified to National Pork Board Quality Assurance III guidelines
3. Hogs delivered to the SPVP plant will be transported by drivers that are certified to National Pork Board Trucker Quality Assurance Guidelines.
4. Smithfield will maintain ISO 14001 Environmental Management System certification at the SPVP plant.

USDA Information:

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USDA

CERTIFICATE OF CONFORMANCE

United States Department of Agriculture

Agricultural Marketing Service

Livestock and Seed Program

Smithfield Packing Company, Inc.

Gwaltney of Smithfield

Smithfield, Virginia

U.S.A

has met the requirements of a

USDA Process Verified Program

<http://processverified.usda.gov/>

and is entitled to market products under this system as



for the scope of

**Hogs are traceable to farm of origin, produced by PQA
certified producers, and transported by TQA certified drivers; and
Smithfield maintains ISO 14001 Certification**

as described in the

Smithfield Packing Company, Inc.

Process Verified Program Manual

Smithfield North & South

This certificate is receivable by all officers of all courts of the United States as prima facie evidence of the truth of the statements therein contained. This certificate does not excuse failure to comply with any of the regulatory laws enforced by the U.S. Department of Agriculture. (Rev. 01.05.04)

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